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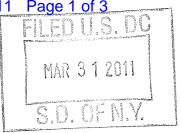
THE REPUBLIC OF IRAQ, including as PARENS PATRIAE in behalf of the CITIZENS of the REPUBLIC OF IRAQ,

Plaintiff,

- against -

ABB AG, et al.,

Defendants.



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ECF CASE

NOTICE OF APPEAL

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, pursuant to 9 U.S.C. § 16(a)(2), the Republic of Iraq hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit from the Order denying the Republic's motion to compel arbitration and granting BNP Paribas's motion to enjoin arbitration, entered in this action on March 3, 2011 (ECF No. 465).

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